



## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Applicant : Kuznetsov et al.  
App. No. : 09/936,257  
Filed : January 11, 2002  
For : METHOD AND DEVICE FOR  
ROTATING A WAFER  
Examiner : Ram N. Kackar  
Group Art Unit : 1763

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Dear Sir:

Enclosed is form PTO-1449 listing two (2) references of which one (1) reference is enclosed.

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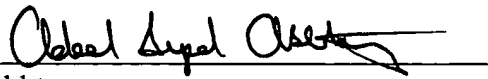
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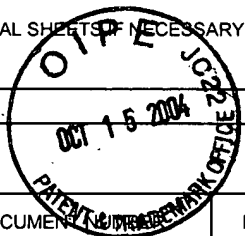
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